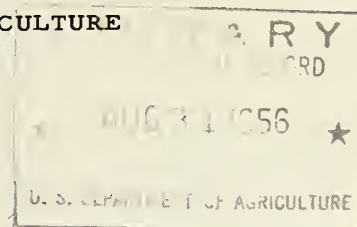


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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
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1954 and 1955

This summary includes the records of candidate flocks maintained in accordance with the provisions of the U. S. Record of Performance stage of the National Turkey Improvement Plan. These records are published to give official recognition to the performance of the birds entered in U.S.R.O.P. and to provide a means of evaluating the flocks as sources of breeding stock. The records for the years 1954 and 1955 are included so that a more accurate appraisal may be made than is possible when only one year's records are considered.

The following information is given for each flock under U.S.R.O.P. supervision during 1954 and 1955:

- (a) Year records were compiled.
- (b) Total number of young hens of a particular variety on the farm.
- (c) Number of U.S.R.O.P. candidate matings.
- (d) Number of young hens entered in U.S.R.O.P.
- (e) Number of young hens meeting the U.S.R.O.P. requirements.
- (f) Percentage of young hens entered meeting the U.S.R.O.P. requirements.
- (g) Average rate of (percentage) egg production of all candidate hens.
- (h) Average body weight of all the candidate hens.
- (i) Average hatchability of all eggs set from all the candidate hens.
- (j) Pullorum-Typhoid Class.

STATE TURKEY R.O.P. SUPERVISORS

The production records of TURKEY U.S.R.O.P. breeders are submitted to and checked by State R.O.P. Supervisors whose names and addresses are as follows:

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Breeder's Name and Address	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e) (f)		(g)	(h)	(i)	(j)
	Year	Young Hens of this Variety on Farm No.	USROP Candidate Matings No.	USROP Candidate Hens No.	Hens Qualifying as USROP		Average Rate of Egg Production (All Candidates) %	Average Body Weight (All Candidates) Lbs.	Average Hatchability (All Candidates) %	Pullorum-Typhoid Class
					No.	%				

BROAD BREASTED BRONZE

Barlocker Farms & Hatchery St. George, Utah	1954	7,000	11	115	57	49.6	66.0	18.0	61.0	Controlled
	1955	7,500	22	245	78	31.8	67.0	21.0	50.0	Passed
Bill and Marve Zeeland, Michigan	1954	2,100	8	95	5	5.3	44.0	21.0	38.8	Clean
	1955	2,300	6	98	4	4.0	19.3	20.5	33.2	Clean
Bingham Turkey Farm Aubrey, Texas	1954	1,410	14	210	165	78.5	68.2	22.2	75.9	Clean
	1955	1,250	15	225	187	83.1	68.6	22.9	78.3	Clean
Browning Turkey Farm Winchester, Kentucky	1954	5,895	14	140	38	27.1	50.5	20.2	52.5	Clean
	1955	4,729	14	140	45	32.1	63.6	20.5	50.9	Clean
Cornelius, Vernon, Rt. 1, Box 1046 Lakeside, California	1954	4,570	14	140	53	37.9	71.8	19.3	59.8	Clean
	1955	1,080	18	173	64	37.0	69.6	19.8	51.4	Clean
Feild Turkey Ranch Burnet, Texas	1954	345	11	82	71	86.5	76.1	19.3	85.7	Clean
	1955	220	12	123	90	73.2	76.1	20.7	75.3	Clean
Grant, R. L. Clinton, Washington	1954	2,000	10	150	43	28.7	65.3	19.9	46.5	Clean
Gramstorff, J. C. Perryton, Texas	1954	91	4	41	11	26.8	64.1	19.2	40.7	Clean
Hall Turkey Ranch, Box 45 Santa Susana, California	1954	9,563	40	400	250	62.5	69.5	21.8	71.8	Clean
	1955	7,274	40	400	268	67.0	73.5	19.4	66.7	Clean
Janes Bar Nothing Ranch Austin, Texas	1954	3,500	28	430	331	77.0	76.1	20.0	78.0	Clean
	1955	2,900	32	540	386	71.5	69.0	-	81.5	Clean
Lee Turkey Ranch Midlothian, Texas	1954	1,801	Qualified Matings Only - No Candidates							Clean
	1955	2,952	14	184	123	66.8	70.2	20.4	70.1	Clean
Luling Foundation Luling, Texas	1954	458	12	159	51	32.0	60.6	18.4	56.2	Clean
	1955	2,007	5	55	33	60.0	58.4	16.2	75.6	Clean
Mitchell Turkey Ranch Midlothian, Texas	1954	215	17	215	121	56.3	73.6	20.5	57.4	Clean
Newport, Milton Tangent, Oregon	1954	1,623	12	96	64	66.6	80.0	21.4	73.6	Clean
	1955	1,700	12	96	67	69.8	80.6	20.9	63.8	Clean
River Rest Farms, Rt. 4 Shawnee, Oklahoma	1954	2,500	4	60	51	85.0	66.0	18.0	89.0	Clean
	1955	1,845	4	58	39	67.2	68.0	20.0	83.0	Clean
Robart Farm West Willington, Connecticut	1954	1,600	6	72	35	48.6	64.4	20.6	59.9	Clean
Shearer, Robert K. Reinsholds, Pennsylvania	1954	2,045	20	194	77	39.7	56.2	20.5	62.0	Clean
	1955	2,182	20	179	50	27.9	52.7	19.7	57.0	Clean
Stearns Turkey Farm Wadena, Minnesota	1954	1,500	8	89	34	38.2	71.5	19.8	50.2	Clean
Wall, J. B. Bertram, Texas	1954	400	10	68	43	63.2	68.1	19.3	72.1	Clean
	1955	250	10	88	33	37.5	64.6	19.0	65.9	Clean

BROAD BREASTED WHITE HOLLAND

Chaumiere Farms Steeleville, Missouri	1954	2,068	10	120	76	63.3	62.0	16.7	76.0	Clean
	1955	2,000	10	113	26	23.0	60.8	15.2	43.1	Clean
Sheley Turkey Farm New Carlisle, Ohio	1954	4,270	10	120	60	50.0	67.0	18.3	58.0	Clean
	1955	3,432	10	120	45	37.5	71.0	17.5	54.3	Clean

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		No.	No.	No.	No.	%	%	Lbs.	%	

BELTSVILLE SMALL WHITE

Hilltop Hatchery & Breeding Farm	1954	900	20	439	279	63.6	64.0	11.0	75.0	Clean
Broadway, Virginia	1955	1,000	24	500	389	77.8	65.4	11.0	82.0	Clean
River Rest Farms	1954*	700	3	43	34	79.0	68.0	11.0	89.0	Clean
Rt. 4, Shawnee, Oklahoma	1955*	800	4	59	49	83.0	63.0	12.0	88.0	Clean
Roll Turkey Farm	1954	3,804	8	86	53	61.6	68.0	11.1	73.0	Clean
Versailles, Ohio	1955	2,343	8	88	50	56.8	57.5	11.4	70.0	Clean

*Broad Breasted

MICHIGAN WHITE

Orcutt Turkey Farm	1954	1,700	8	95	41	43.1	62.0	18.0	56.1	Clean
Belleaire, Michigan	1955	1,900	7	96	17	17.7	49.6	17.6	46.3	Clean

THOMPSON BROAD WHITE

Central Kansas Turkey Hatchery	1954	795	5	70	16	22.0	51.0	18.0	66.5	Clean
Moundridge, Kansas										

BROAD BREASTED SMALL WHITE

Neuman Turkey Farm										
R. R. #5, Springfield, Ohio	1955	727	8	95	24	25.3	68.0	12.3	52.8	Clean

BROAD BREASTED LARGE WHITE

River Rest Farms, Rt. 4	1954	500	5	69	48	69.6	63.0	17.0	85.0	Clean
Shawnee, Oklahoma	1955	750	5	75	53	71.0	66.0	19.0	81.0	Clean

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